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Week ended August 15. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bill of health issued to the following-named vessel:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.
Aug. 15	Agnella.....	Mobile.....	0

INDIA.

Report from Calcutta—Transactions of service—Cholera, plague, and smallpox—Summary of plague in Bengal and India.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Allan reports, July 22:

Week ended July 17. Bill of health issued to the steamship *Neidenfels*, bound for Boston and New York, with a total crew of 57. The usual precautions were taken, holds fumigated, rat guards placed on wharf lines, and Asiatics' effects disinfected.

Week ended July 10. At Calcutta there were 28 deaths from cholera, 2 from smallpox, and 29 from plague; in Bengal, 36 cases of plague with 32 deaths; in India, 558 cases of plague with 462 deaths.

ITALY.

Report from Naples—Inspection of vessels—Examination of emigrants—Smallpox—Case of smallpox among emigrants for steamship Hamburg.

Surgeon Geddings reports, August 2:

Vessels inspected at Naples and Palermo, week ended July 31.

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 25	San Giorgio.....	New York.....	553	50	380
26	Hamburg.....	do.....	445	110	850
28	Pannonia.....	do.....
28	Madonna.....	do.....	476	50	680
28	Duca degli Abruzzi.....	do.....	1,142	180	1,520
29	Dinamare.....	do.....
29	Italia.....	do.....	153	25	230
	Total.....	2,769	415	3,660

PALERMO.

July 30	Italia.....	New York.....	220	260	50
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